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Mr. George Grossmith Blesses The
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some of his best stories and explaining
his philosophy of life to Mr. Stanley
Naylor, who has turned the whole into
the longest "interview" on record and
made a book of it. The book is entitled
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"Never marry a man with baggy
trousers, girls," is "Geo-Gro Junior's"
constant advice to his lady colleagues
at the Gaiety. It sums up his attitude
towards a great many things. He is an
equally tremendous admirer of the Gaiety
girl and the thorough-going "bloke,"
(as opposed to the more "put" and
of the two taken together in the form
of an "actressocratic" union. Then,
he maintains, the lady of the Gaiety
"develops into a dazzling brilliant
success" in her new role. "I can never
forget the debt I owe to the Gaiety,"
a sporting peer who married one of our
best-known actresses is never tired of
telling him, "and I love to come back."

He is the pal of all the genuine
"blokes" about town, and likes their
little ways. Here is a story told of one
of the two sons of a sporting baronet
who are said to fight permanently in the
night life of London. Supping with
the older of them in a crowded restau-
rant one evening, I remember he broke
off in the middle of a conversation on
some such various topics as the influence
of the New Thought on Old Women, in
order to attract the attention of the
younger one, who had just entered at
the far end of the room. A "nut" in
such a case would probably have shouted
"Hi!" But my friend, being too well
bred to make such a vulgar exhibition
of himself, adopted a simpler expedient;
with much the same end as he might
have passed me the mustard, he threw
a plate at the other young man's head.
The shot was a good one, and undoubt-
edly would have struck home, had not
a busy but heedless waiter suddenly
rushed into the immediate line of fire
and been instantly felled instead. The
only person who took the incident calmly
seems to have been the man who threw
the plate. "I didn't mean to hurt the
waiter. If a man can't throw a plate
at his own brother, who can he throw
it at?" was his reply to the manager,
so he handed the injured waiter a budget
of bank notes.

Mr. Grossmith discusses Gaiety girls
very entertainingly and with much frank-
ness. Their selection he likens to deal-
ing in "futures" on the Stock Exchange.
I remember once a lady recruit at the
Gaiety whose singing-master had pro-
phesied great things of her, was entrus-
ted with eight bars to sing, in the finale
of the first act. Immediately the cur-
tain was rung down the stage manager
quickly came round to know the reason
of "the long stage-wait." "Oh, that
wasn't a stage-wait," somebody told him,
"that was Miss So-and-So singing her
solo."

On the other hand, he has known
cases of girls, gawky and unattractive at
first, who, after a year or two in the
obscure at the Gaiety, have discovered
the most potent secret of the actress-
how to charm. One of the best stories
is that of the elderly gentleman at Goring
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(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

DEATH OF AN AMERICAN MILLIONAIRE.

ESTATE ESTIMATED AT \$10,000,000.

LONDON, Dec. 11. Mr. William Dearing, the founder of the Harvester business, is dead. His estate is estimated at ten millions sterling.

THE NOBEL-PEACE-PRIZE WINNER.

LONDON, Dec. 11. A Christiania telegram states that the Nobel Peace Prize for 1912 has been bestowed upon Ethel Ross, and that for 1913 upon Henri La Fontaine.

ANGLO-GERMAN RELATIONS.

"Let the Past Be Past."

LONDON, Dec. 10. The Chancellor, in a statement on foreign affairs in the Reichstag, repeatedly emphasised the confidential character of Anglo-German relations, which had found expression at the London Conference, to which future generations would look back with gratitude. He hoped that the confidence at present characterising their relations with the British Government would extend itself to those circles, which still regarded a rapprochement with kindred nations with scepticism. "Let the past be past," he said. "Let us continue our work in the confidence which the present offers." He added that the confidential character of the relations had enabled the respective Governments to make considerable progress with the negotiations for the removal of the difficulties regarding the Baghdad Railway.

The Franco-German negotiations in regard to Turkish affairs, the Chancellor said, were only just beginning.

He pointed out the similarity between the German view in regard to the future of Turkey and the views of Sir Edward Grey and Mr. Asquith, viz., the preservation of Turkish territorial integrity on a basis of internal reform. The fate of the Aegean Islands was not yet settled.

Count Bethmann von Hollweg affirmed that in order to avoid economic colonial conflicts in the future, and to keep Anglo-German relations tranquil, negotiations on African questions had begun, whereby the rights of others would be fully respected. The German Government were working for a fair compromise in the interests of both countries. He said there was no question of one-sided concessions by Germany. They would not exchange German interests in Asia Minor for British concessions in Africa, or vice versa. They had reason to anticipate a result, which would be hailed by both England and Germany as an acceptable solution of possible difficulties.

SMUGGLING AT BELFAST.

Passengers' Luggage to be Examined

LONDON, Dec. 10. The Customs Authorities have notified the shipping companies at Belfast that the luggage of passengers landing will be henceforth examined.

THE GERMAN BUDGET DEBATE.

The Socialists and the Kaiser's Prerogatives.

LONDON, Dec. 10. On the resumption of the Budget debate in the Reichstag, the Socialists moved amendments to the Constitution making the Chancellor responsible to the Reichstag.

The Chancellor replied that he would resign on a hostile vote; the right of appointing and dismissing the Chancellor belonged to the Emperor. He would oppose the manifest diminution of the right of the Emperor, and he was convinced that the majority of Germans would never see the Emperor placed under Social-Democratic compulsion.

BY TELEGRAPH.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

A "SUFFRAGE ARMY."

TO BE TRAINED IN JIUJITSU AND BOXING.

LONDON, Dec. 10. Miss M. Frankfort has been arrested at a meeting held at Shore-ditch for the purpose of inaugurating a "Suffrage Army," which it is intended shall be trained in jiu-jitsu and boxing, in order that they may be able to repel the police.

THE SOUTH AFRICAN INDIAN TROUBLE.

LONDON, Dec. 11. Reuter's correspondent at Pretoria states that the Government has decided to appoint a Committee of Inquiry into the grievances in Natal of the Indians.

BRITISH SUBMARINE FOUNDERS.

All Saved.

LONDON, Dec. 11. Submarine C 14 foundered twenty miles off Plymouth.

COTTON SHIPMENTS FROM INDIA.

A New Agreement.

LONDON, Dec. 11. "The Times" states that in consequence of heavy losses on shipments of cotton from India to Japan, an agreement respecting rates and conditions has been concluded by Marine Insurance Companies and Underwriters at Lloyd's. The terms are substantially more exacting and are supported by companies on the Continent and in India and Japan.

THE PREMIER AND THE LAND CAMPAIGN.

LONDON, Dec. 10.

Mr. Asquith gave an official imprimatur of the land campaign speech at a dinner at the National Liberal Club.

At the inauguration of a Central Land and Housing Council most of the Cabinet Ministers were present. Mr. Asquith, after dealing with the proposals, said that despite the threatening of their opponents, the sky was now much more placid than was the case at the time of the 1909 Budget. He predicted that the attempts of the Opposition to belittle the grievances and the remedies would not be successful. None of the changes which were contemplated would affect any landlord who was doing his duty.

Mr. Lloyd George predicted another Liberal triumph under one of the greatest chieftains the Party had ever had.

POSTAL OFFICIALS TROUBLES.

A Rumour Denied.

LONDON, Dec. 10.

Mr. H. Samuel, Postmaster General, has issued a statement to the effect that there is no truth in the rumour that the Government has decided to retain the services of postal officials, who are members of the Territorials, under military law in the event of a strike. The subject had not even been considered. He also states that the Government is unable, in the public interests, to concede to the demand for an all round increase of 15 per cent. on wages.

THE KINOTOPHONE.

In the Theatre Royal last night the first of three performances was given of the marvellous invention known as the Edison Kinetophone. As is now well known, the Kinetophone is a combination of cinematograph and gramophone, and in its perfect condition, it will probably represent Mr. Edison's greatest achievement. At present it is not perfect, but it certainly shows an advance compared with what it was some nine months ago when the invention was exhibited here for the first time. Last night's programme comprised a dozen pictures, and provided a very enjoyable entertainment. All the pictures were excellent, and though the Kinetophone was still in its infancy, the entertainment of sight and sound was certainly good.

A KWANGTUNG NOTE CASE.

CLAIM FOR DAMAGES.

Before His Honour Mr. Justice Gompertz (Paisley Judge) in the Summary Jurisdiction of the Supreme Court today, the Kiu Wing Bank sued the Hip Wo Cheung firm and Lo Chai Po to recover the sum of \$12,144.48 representing the loss or damage the plaintiffs have sustained by reason of the failure of the defendants to take delivery of \$11,000 Hongkong dollars worth of Kwangtung notes which the defendants agreed on the 18th June to purchase and take delivery of from the plaintiffs. The sum of \$214.48 was waived, in order that the claim might be brought in the Summary Jurisdiction.

Mr. E. P. H. Lang (of Messrs. Deacons, Lecker, Deacon and Hanson) appeared for the plaintiffs; the first defendant was represented by Mr. P. Mason (from the office of Mr. F. X. d'Almeida e Castro); and Mr. P. Strydom Dixon (of Messrs. Wilkinson and Orist) represented the second defendant.

Mr. Lang said the plaintiffs believed, and always had believed, that the Hip Wo Cheung firm was the business of Lo Chai Po, the second defendant, and that he was the sole partner in the firm. But simply, as a matter of safety, the writ was made out against both parties. Subsequently, delivery of the notes was not taken, a sale was effected and resulted in a loss to the plaintiffs of the amount claimed. He understood special defences were being raised by Mr. Dixon and Mr. Mason with regard to illegality, but they would come on later.

Mr. Mason: As far as I am concerned illegality is an alternative defence. I am pleading partnership. My defence will be that this is not within the ordinary scope of the partnership of the business, and the firm cannot be bound by it.

Judgment was entered for the first defendant, and reserved as regards the second.

SPORTING.

Hongkong Cricket Club.

The following will represent the Hongkong Cricket Club against the Garrison in a Triangular League Match to be played on the Club Ground on Saturday 13th December. Play to commence at 2 p.m. sharp.—R. Hancock. (Captain.) C. C. Clarke, A. A. Claxton, P. H. Cobb, D. E. Donnelly, A. C. E. Elborough, A. L. Gace, H. Hancock, R. Kennedy, M. M. Maas, T. E. Pearce, R. P. Thurlfield.

THE DEMAND FOR CRIME.

Artificial Police Kudos.

The Osaka Shimpo tells a curious story in explanation of the sequel of the Fushiki and Tamura Motokichi by the Osaka Prosecutors, in spite of the fact that they were taken red-handed in theft. It appears from our contemporary's statement, these two culprits at the West police station in Osaka were in despair at the high moral tone of their district. Not an arrest of any sort had been effected for some time, while men in other districts would round up criminals by the dozen. Fearful of losing their credit, they summoned their chief spy, Yamamoto Toratara, and told him he must discover a crime somehow. Yamamoto approached Tamura, who was under some obligation to him, and Tamura called on his friend Tamura, and together they arranged to commit a theft. Tamura's brother was a greengrocer, and with him Tamura made an agreement that he should allow his house to be broken into and robbed, undertaking to supply the loot before-hand himself. Yamamoto was apprised of the arrangement, and he told the three detectives.

Night had fallen on October 18th, when the somewhat strange spectacle might have been seen of three detectives ensconcing themselves in convenient corners in the neighbourhood of the green grocer's shop, to catch burglars who had not yet arrived. At midnight, with appropriate precautions, Tamura and Tamura all proceeded to the scene of the robbery, and duly broke in. While they were engaged in methodically removing the trunk which Tamura had prepared for the purpose, the three detectives pounced on them from their ambush. It was a shabby trick to play on Tamura, who was the only one not in the secret that it was a put-up job. But Tamura was so much interested in the procedure that he forgave his one and did not seize the opportunity of running away. The thing was so flagrant that the detectives had absolutely no option, but to save their faces before their victims they had to run Tamura in too.

On their way to the station Tamura whispered to them to let him escape, but they whispered back that he had better come along now lest Tamura suspect. It was not far to the station, and no plausible opportunity occurred of letting Tamura escape, while when they arrived at their destination, it became simply impossible, so it ended in Tamura being sent down to the Procurator with his betrayed friend Tamura. By this time he thought the game had gone far enough, and as the detectives had bungled into arresting him he thought it was quite possible that they might by some inadvertence get him a year in jail. So he made a clean breast of the whole affair to the Procurator, and the two "burglars" were set at liberty. The Procurator, says the Osaka Shimpo, are inquiring into the conduct of the detectives and their accomplice.

UNNECESSARY WORDS.

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THE DIOCESAN CONFERENCE.

PERENOE.

MEETING OF THE SYNOD.

The Bishop of Victoria's (Rt. Rev. G. H. Lander) visitation and the Diocesan Conference was begun yesterday by the clergy of the Diocese assembling in the Cathedral. After the roll-call the Bishop delivered his charge. Delegates for the Diocesan Conference have arrived from different centres, and among those present are:—Rev. Fung Yat Sau, Incumbent of Holy Trinity, Kowloon, Chaplain to the Bishop; Von. E. J. Barnett, Archbishop of Hongkong, Secretary of the Church Missionary Society and Warden of St. Stephen's College, Chaplain to the Bishop; Rev. G. A. Bunbury, Missionary Priest and Chaplain to the Bishop; Rev. V. S. Copley Moyle, Chaplain of the Cathedral and Chaplain to the Bishop; Rev. W. H. Hewitt, Missionary Priest and Warden of St. John's Hall; Rev. C. L. Blagden, Missionary Priest and Incumbent of St. Paul's College; Rev. A. D. Stewart, Missionary Priest and Sub-Warden of St. Paul's College; Rev. Mok Shu Tung, Incumbent of Canton and West River district; Rev. Percy Jenkins, Missionary Priest, Principal of the Diocesan Training College, and Incumbent of Tsan Tung; Rev. Fok Ting Shan, Incumbent of St. Stephen's Hongkong; Rev. W. E. H. Hipwell, Missionary Priest and Incumbent of St. Luke's Pakhoi; Rev. C. N. Pope, Incumbent of St. Andrew's, Hongkong; Rev. C. B. Shann, Missionary Priest and Chaplain of St. Stephen's College; Rev. D. B. Reynolds, Chaplain to the Mission to Seamen, and Incumbent of St. Peter's Church, Hongkong; Rev. C. L. Cooper Hunt, Honorary Chaplain of the Cathedral; Rev. W. H. Hubbard, Missionary Priest; Rev. W. W. Rogers, Missionary Priest and Acting Principal of Canton Boys' High School; Rev. C. N. R. Mackenzie, Missionary Priest and Incumbent of Lingham; Rev. G. E. S. Updell, Missionary Priest and Tutor at St. Paul's College, Hongkong; Rev. Stephen Wicks, Missionary Priest and Incumbent of Lienshow; and Rev. Ha Po Wan, Incumbent of Kowloon.

The Bishop said he had called them together because they were about to take a very important step in the history of the Church in the Diocese, and he was anxious that it should not be taken without their full concurrence. He referred to the proposed formation of a Synod for the members of the Chung Wa Sung Kung Hui who were under his jurisdiction.

In grateful terms, his Lordship referred to the labours performed, sacrifices made and hardships endured by the missionary clergy, saying that although they worked sometimes under bodily weakness and mental discouragement, as well as inadequate financial provision with little prospect of earthly promotion, they rightly counted themselves happy men.

Turning to the changes in the clerical staff since his last visitation in 1910, his Lordship mentioned the loss of the Rev. F. T. Johnson who was chaplain of the Cathedral for 13 years and commented on the additions to the missionary staff for which he thanked the Church Missionary Society, remarking that whereas until 1871 there was only one missionary in the Diocese, there were now eighteen bishops, eleven of whom were in China.

His Lordship then exhaustively dealt with the Chung Wa Sung Kung Hui, which was composed of the Bishops, Clergy and laity of the Holy Catholic Church throughout the world, representing various Dioceses and missionary districts established in China and Hongkong, Church of England, the Roman Catholic Church, the United States of America and the Church of England in Canada. After a great deal of thought and only after taking counsel with the Archbishop of Canterbury, his Lordship had decided not to room around the creation of a full Diocesan Synod but only a Synod for the members of the Chung Wa Sung Kung Hui under his jurisdiction; that was to say an organization which practically left without Synodical organization the congregations of the purely English speaking members of the Church of England in the Diocese and under his Lordship's jurisdiction. His Lordship hoped that the Chung Wa Sung Kung Hui would always be represented on the Diocesan Synod. Commenting on the fact that in England each Bishop had so many clergy under him that it was impossible for him to be intimate with all, his Lordship remarked that was not the case here and urged brotherly intercourse amongst his hearers, saying that it was essential for the clergy to be intimate with the people, and to be intimate with the people, the clergy must be intimate with the people, and to be intimate with the people, the clergy must be intimate with the people.

With regard to more general matters his Lordship said that fourteen new churches had been opened, some of them formerly desolate places, and some newly built, and reminded his hearers, however, that all plans for new Churches, additions to existing ones, designs for Church furniture, ornaments, inscriptions or mural tablets, etc. must be approved by him before work was begun.

In conclusion, his Lordship said he was very conscious that he had omitted many points upon which he might have touched, was also conscious of a somewhat disjointed manner in his thoughts, but he thought that his hearers would be able to follow him, and that he had said what he had to say. He then adjourned the conference until the following day.

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confirming confirmation. This, however, did not apply to corporate communion for all sorts of Christian societies, for, although his Lordship regarded corporate communion as the highest act of Christian fellowship open to one on earth, he had not the authority, as an individual Bishop of a vast communion, to give the necessary permission.

Addressing the missionary brethren, his Lordship warned them not to permit their educational, institutional or organizing career to blind their vision to evangelize the people, for, he said, pastors are trustees for the very things for which the millions around them, to whom the word of Christ had never been proclaimed, were crying, and we believe them if they preached not the gospel.

If a Lordship, in referring to the splendid work many of his hearers were doing in connection with the C.M.S. educational missions in Hongkong and Canton, said such work was bound to tell in the near future. They had a unique opportunity of having for Christ the future leaders of China, and his Lordship hoped that the Church of England would strengthen their hands before the opportunity passed. The Christian instruction of the young in the vernacular was very weak in the Diocese, and Christian schools should be promoted in every village where there were Church members. More Sunday schools should also be organized.

After laying down regulations concerning baptism of adults and infants, and touching upon the question of confirmation, his Lordship said special stress upon the sanctity of marriage, and the necessity for putting up on the west wall of Churches a list of accredited members of the congregation, pointing out that it was the duty of the Pastor to enquire from that list the names of those who had been married, and to have them baptized. Such persons should be visited and instructed on not only what they miss but what the whole Church loses by their not contributing their quota to its corporate life and worship.

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